

EMSBC report December 1st, 2022 – In Person

Land acknowledgement by Jordana Dobski

Presentation by Mr. David Servello about EMSB pilot online school.

3 main criteria for a student to be accepted: Elite or higher sport status, Rural living location with no access to an English school, or student themselves must have a long term medical condition which prohibits them from attending in school in person.

Parent Conference - Will be done in a different format this year- looking into perhaps a couple evenings as well as maybe some in person some online.

Internal rules reviewed.

Consultation on the proposal to expand MIND high school to include sec 1+2 passed.

Complaints procedure for parents: We asked it is laid out in a more simplistic format more readily accessible to the general public. The protocol of reaching out to the teaching staff involved, then admin, then regional director, then director and if needed the student ombudsmen should be made clear.

Mention of PC rep of the school should also be easy to obtain to help facilitate the process for any reason (language barrier, knowledge of the system, etc.)

Principal selection criteria: Affirmation that the administration does take into account the selection criteria that Governing Boards submit, but that there are many other details to take into account.

Transportation App Questions answered about the 7 schools on the project, for those schools the project is mandatory, and parents cannot opt out, the liability of any breach in confidential information would fall on the App owners, but that it is very secure and that should there be two parent guardians they would both have access to the information the app provides.

Reports by multiple parties.

Next meeting Jan 12th on zoom